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DERIVATIVES OF GENKWANIN AND SAKURANETIN, COSMETIC AND THERAPEUTIC USE THEREOF AND PREPARATION METHOD OF SAME

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RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 31, 2010, Applicant elects Group II, claims 5, 6, and 10 drawn to a derivative. The Restriction Requirement is not traversed.

Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications for the non-elected claim Groups.

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